

JULY 6, 1981

THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF STATE LANDS TOOK FORMAL ACTION ON JULY 6, 1981 AT 9:00 A.M. IN THE STATE LAND OFFICE, ROOM 411, EMPIRE BUILDING, 231 EAST 400 SOUTH, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH 84111, ON THE BELOW LISTED MINERAL AND SURFACE BUSINESS MATTERS AS INDICATED.

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MINERAL LEASE ACREAGE CORRECTION - ML 36898 *JB*

Mineral lease No. 36898 was approved May 29, 1979, at 640.00 acres. The true acreage, however, for lands under this lease is 613.32 acres (SCH).

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director approved the correction of acreage of this lease. The Division records are to be amended accordingly and that the Lessee, James Quigley, 1725 Beneficial Life Tower, Salt Lake City, UT 84111, to be refunded \$26.00 overpaid for the current year rentals.

RECLAMATION BOND FOR ML 31027 *JB*

Max E. Ericksen has posted a \$1,000 bond, CD #07856, Tracy Collins Bank, to assure performance and reclamation of operations conducted under the above numbered lease by Flaming Gorge Pines Homeowners Association. The bond is also to cover land disturbances caused to the leasehold by the previous leasholder of record, Flaming Gorge Pines.

This bond appears to be in order and upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director accepted this bond.

RELEASE OF BONDS, SALT VALLEY LTD. *JB*

Salt Valley Ltd. has completed exploration drilling work on the following leases, and Transamerica Bonding Company has requested release of the bonds listed below.

ML 31860	Bond No. 5231-37-00	Effective - 5-3-77
	5231-37-01	
ML 33240	Bond No. 5231-37-02	Effective - 5-3-77
ML 33242	Bond No. 5231-37-03	Effective - 5-3-77
ML 33243	Bond No. 5231-37-04	Effective - 5-3-77

Upon recommendation of Mr. Blake, the Director approved the release of these bonds.

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APPROVAL OF THE CRESCENT UNIT *EWB*

This office has received evidence that the Crescent Unit was approved by the United States Geological Survey on June 25, 1981.

The records of the following leases should be noted to show this approval:

ML 27638	Ferguson & Bosworth and Associates
ML 27883	Ferguson & Bosworth and Associates
ML 27899	Ferguson & Bosworth and Associates

APPROVAL OF THE PANQUITCH UNIT *EWB*

This office has received evidence that the Panguitch Unit was approved by the United States Geological Survey on June 24, 1981.

The records of the following lease should be noted to show this approval:

ML 38570	Northwest Exploration Company
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WITHDRAWAL OF THE TUMBLEWEED UNIT *ENB*

Toledo Mining Company, operator of the Tumbleweed Unit has informed this office that due to evaluation of new geologic data, they wish to withdraw their Tumbleweed Unit application. They propose that this unit be resubmitted at a later date with new geologic objectives.

The records of the following lease should be noted to show that this application has been withdrawn.

ML 28741      Lear Petroleum Corporation

Upon recommendation of Mr. Bonner, the Director approved the withdrawal of this unit.

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF THE BRIDGER CREEK UNIT *ENB*

John J. Christmann & Christmann Associates, operator of the Bridger Creek Unit has submitted this unit for approval by the State of Utah. The Bridger Creek Unit is located seven miles east of Randolph and straddles the State line between Utah and Wyoming. This unit contains 23,713.62 acres of which 11,367.50 acres or 47.94 percent is located in Rich County, Utah, and 12,346.12 acres or 52.06 percent is located in Lincoln and Uinta Counties, Wyoming. Of the 11,367.50 acres located in Utah 9,559.14 acres or 40.31 percent are Federal lands, 1,740.36 acres or 7.34 percent are State lands, and 68.00 acres or .29 percent are Patented lands. The unit agreement provides that the operator will, within six months after the effective date of the unit, commence the drilling of a well of a depth sufficient to test the upper 420 feet of the Weber Formation, but not to exceed 13,379 feet. This unit is on the standard unit agreement form and contains all of the necessary State Land provisions.

The following are the State of Utah leases in this unit.

ML 30344      The Louisiana Land and Exploration Company  
ML 30349      The Louisiana Land and Exploration Company

These leases have been committed to the unit.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Bonner, the Director approved this unit.

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SURFACE BUSINESS MATTERS

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RIGHT OF WAY APPLICATIONS

RIGHT OF ENTRY NO. 2172 *KMH*

Frontier Exploration, Inc. c/o General Delivery, Elko, Nevada 89801 has requested permission to conduct a seismic survey -- above ground method across the following State lands:

Township 2 South, Range 6 West, SLB&M  
Sections 9,10: Tooele County

The fee for this type survey is \$50.00/mile @ 2 miles equaling \$100.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee totaling \$120.00. Upon recommendation of Mr. Higgins, the Director approved this Right of Entry, with an October 1, 1981 expiration date.

RIGHT OF ENTRY NO. 2173 *KMH*

Seis-Port Explorations Inc., Security Life Ste 2000, 1616 Glenarm Place, Denver, CO request permission to conduct a seismic survey -- above ground method, with a 50# charge set off three feet above ground on the following State lands in Juab County:

Township 13 South, Range 1 East, SLB&M  
Section 2: S $\frac{1}{2}$  Juab County  
Section 22: W $\frac{1}{2}$

Township 15 South, Range 1 East, SLB&M  
Section 33: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Juab County

The fee for this survey is \$50.00/mile @3/4 mile equaling \$125.00 plus the \$20.00 application fee totaling \$145.00; school fund. Upon recommendation of Mr. Higgins, the Director approved this Right of Entry, with an October 1, 1981 expiration date.

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RIGHT OF ENTRY NO. 2168 *MMW*

This office is in receipt of a request from Texaco, Inc., Party No. 40, P. O. Box 1557, Cortez, CO 81321 for permission to conduct a seismic survey -- vibroseis method across the following described State lands:

Township 15 South, Range 12 East, SLB&M  
Section 36: Carbon County  
Township 15 South, Range 10 East, SLB&M  
Section 18: Carbon County  
Township 16 South, Range 12 East, SLB&M  
Section 2 & 16: Emery County

The fee for a seismic survey-vibroseis method is \$50.00/mile totaling \$125.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee totaling \$145.00. Expiration date is September 1, 1981. Upon recommendation of Mr. Wall, the Director approved this Right of Entry.

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RIGHT OF ENTRY NO. 2174

MMW

Digiseis Exploration Inc., 1708 South Alton Way, Building D., Englewood, CO 80112 has submitted application for a seismic survey --vibroiseis method --two miles at \$50 00 pe mile across the following described State land in Uintah County:

Township 5 South, Range 22 South, SLB&M  
Section 21: E $\frac{1}{2}$   
Section 32: N $\frac{1}{2}$

The intial payment is \$100, plus a \$20.00 application fee, for a total of \$120.00. School Fund. The expiration date is September 1, 1981.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Wall, the Director approved this Right of Entry.

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RIGHT OF ENTRY NO. 2148

RBW

Exxon Mineral Company, Box 120, Denver, Colorado 80201, has requested permission for a temporary right of entry across State land:

Township 38 South, Range 5 East, SLB&M  
Section 32 Kane County

Payment will be \$320.00 plus a \$20.00 application fee for a total of \$340.00. Fund: School. Expiration Date: June 30, 1982. Upon recommendation of Mr. Wilcox, the Director approved this Right of Entry.

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RIGHT OF ENTRY NO. 2170

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Geophysical Services, Party 1744, 2460 West 26th Street, Suite 400-C, Denver, Colorado 80211 has requested permission to conduct a seismic survey across State land:

Township 26 South, Range 3 East, SLB&M  
Section 2 Sevier County

Payment will be \$50.00 plus a \$20.00 application fee for a total charge of \$70.00. Fund: School. Expiration Date: October 1, 1981.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Brown, the Director approved this Right of Entry.

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RIGHT OF WAY NO. 2169

REP

Powers Elevation, Cherry Creek Plaza, Suite 1201, 600 South Cherry St., Denver, CO 80222 has submitted an application for a road right of way, 384 rods at \$4.00 per rod across the following described State lands in San Juan County:

Township 31 South, Range 24 East, SLB&M  
Section 32: NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$  San Juan County

The intial payment is \$1536.00, plus a \$20.00 application fee for a total of \$1556.00, and a \$10.00 payment every three years beginning January 1, 1984. Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved this Right of Way.

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RIGHT OF ENTRY NO. 2171 *RP*

Geophysical Systems Corp., P. O. Drawer 849, Moab, UT 84532, has submitted an application for a seismic survey -- vibroseis method -- approximately 6.5 miles at \$50.00 per mile across the following State lands described in Grand County:

Township 21 South, Range 23 East, SLB&M  
Section 36: S $\frac{1}{2}$  Grand County  
Section 35: S $\frac{1}{2}$   
Section 34: All  
Section 33: S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$   
Section 32: All  
Section 31: E $\frac{1}{2}$   
Township 21 South, Range 24 East, SLB&M  
Section 31: W $\frac{1}{2}$   
Township 21 South, Range 22 East, SLB&M  
Section 32: N $\frac{1}{2}$

Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved this Right of Entry with a September 1, 1981 expiration date.

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GRAZING PERMITS

GRAZING PERMIT APPLICATION *DBM*

Upon recommendation of Mr. Brown, the Director approved the grazing permit listed below.

GP 21755  
Charles Shipp Jr.  
Joseph, Utah 84739

<u>January 1, 1981</u>	<u>Beginning Date</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>\$38.40</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>\$48.40</u>
<u>480.00 Acres</u>	<u>.08 cents per acre per annum</u>	<u>10 years</u>	<u>Sevier County</u>				

Township 26 South, Range 5 West, SLB&M  
Section 16: NW 1/4, E 1/2 Sevier Co.

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GRAZING PERMIT APPLICATION *RP*

Upon recommendation of Mr. Pratt, the Director approved the grazing permit listed below.

GP 21758  
Owen Peel, Wayne Poulsen, Charles McKay, Bert Sorenson  
c/o Owen Peel, Box 305, Mt. Pleasant, UT 84647

<u>1,121.61 Acres</u>	<u>20¢</u>	<u>per acres per annum</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>years</u>
<u>Emery County</u>	<u>January 1, 1981</u>	<u>Beginning Date.</u>	<u>Fund</u>	<u>School</u>

Fee \$224.32 Total \$234.32

Township 16 South, Range 6 East, SLB&M  
Section 36: All Emery County  
Section 2: W $\frac{1}{2}$

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PAID CERTIFICATE

A. Richard Brown

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REFUND REQUESTED

Mr. Mike Frizzell has requested a refund of duplicate payment of 1981 rental. Two Oil, Gas & Hydrocarbon leases were assigned by him and had been previously paid by the new owner. ML 36753 refund due of \$242.00 and ML 36753 refund due of \$320.00 for a total of \$562.00.

Upon recommendation of Mr. Miller, the Director approved these refunds.

INTEREST RATES

CURRENT

YEAR AGO


Prime Rate  
Federal Funds  
Discount Rate

20-1/2  
9.50  
13.00

11-1/2  
13-7/8  
11.00

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WILLIAM K. DINEHART, DIRECTOR  
DIVISION OF STATE LANDS/FORESTRY

  
VERNA A. PETERSEN, RECORDS SUPERVISOR

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